MERCED TO BAKERSFIELD HIGH-SPEED TRAIN PROJECT PROJECT LEVEL EIR/EIS SCOPING MEETINGS

The California High-Speed Rail Authority (Authority), as the lead agency for the California Environmental Quality Act process, is issuing a Notice of Preparation of a Project Level Environmental Impact Report/Statement (EIR/EIS) for the Merced to Bakersfield section of the proposed High-Speed Train System. The Federal Railroad Administration, as the lead Federal Agency, is publishing a Notice of Intent (NOI) in the Federal Register for the project.

To ensure that the issues most important to residents, public agencies and other involved parties are addressed, the Authority is inviting you to participate in scoping meetings to collect public input. The Notice of Preparation, meeting dates and locations are available at www.cahighspeedrail.ca.gov. You can also provide comments at the Authority's website or by writing to the address on the back of this mailer.

U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Railroad Administration

Merced

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Project Level Environmental Impact Report/Statement Scoping Meetings

Open House sessions will be from 3 to 7 p.m.

Merced

March 18, 2009 Merced Community Senior Center, 755 W. 15th Street

Madera

March 19, 2009 Madera County Fairgrounds, 1850 West Cleveland Avenue

Visalia

March 24, 2009 Visalia Convention Center 303 E. Acequia Avenue

Fresno

March 25, 2009 Fresno Convention Center (Exhibit Hall), 848 M Street

Bakersfield

March 26, 2009 Rabobank Theater, 1001 Truxtun Avenue



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